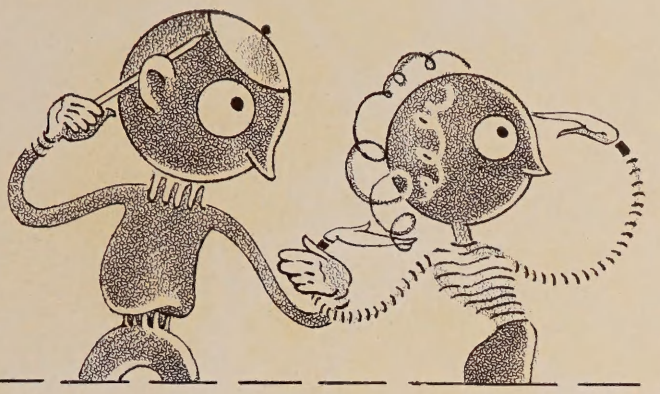
THE WEBB 1937



I'm Brownie and I'm Townie

We're the
"snoop" twins
from Brownstown
High School

FOREWORD

We have published this account of our school life in the year of 1936 and 1937 in order that you might better understand and recall these same experiences as they have occurred to all of us.

DEDICATION

To the Alumni of our school, who as an organization has gone ahead and set for us an excellent example of loyalty and devotion to their Alma Mater, we the Senior Class of Brownstown High School dedicate the 1937 Webb.

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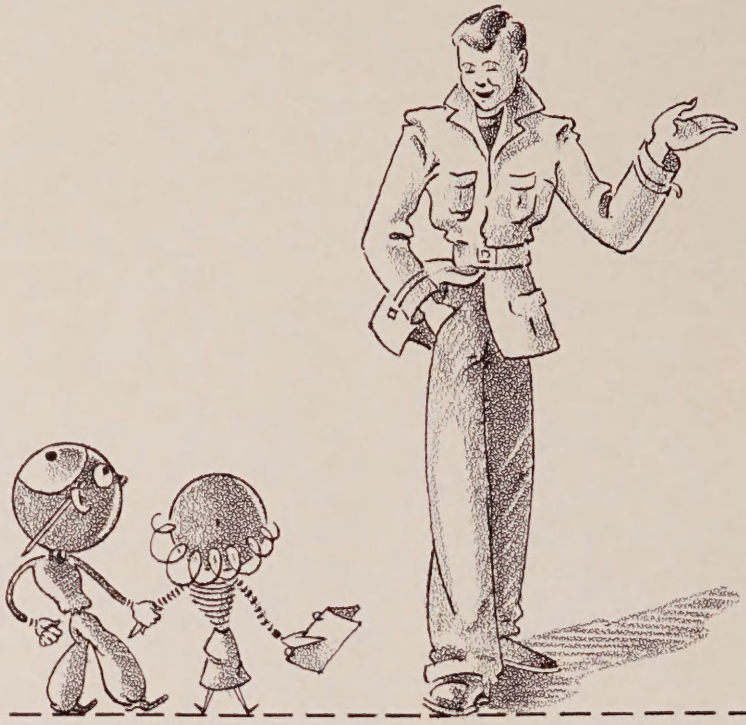


. . . . One day while "snoopin" for news, we met a friend,* with a lot of smiles, and a pair of long legs . . . who listened to our tales of life at Brownstown High.

*CLAUDE McCRARY, Editor

. . . assisted by Dorothy Mullen
Literary Editor and
Betty Vermilya, Business Manager,

. . . these stories have been rewritten and portrayed in the . . Webb . . year book of Brownstown High School for the year 1937.

Society Editor	Theodiste Herrmann
Kodak Editor	Thelma Pedicord
Calendar	Millicent Doerr
Jokes	Doris Jones
Features	Josephine Ballard
Class President	John Nierman
Sponsor	Ada Manion

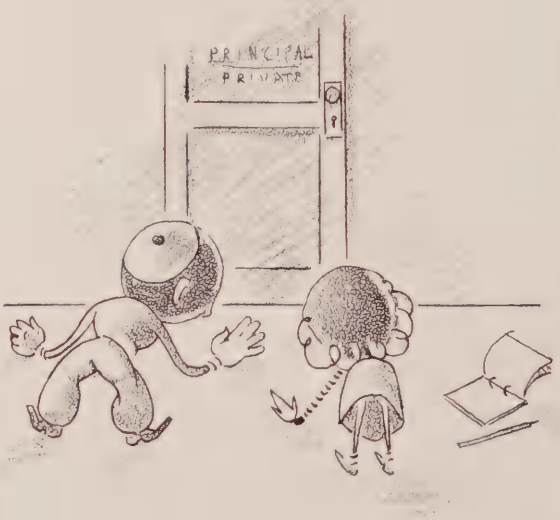
SCHOOL BOARD

C. V. SAGE
President

E. N. KESTNER
Treasurer

H. A. VERMILYA
Secretary

It seems the school board are planning to build a new $100,000 school building. We hope they do. These people here in Brownstown need it.



Gettin' the low down on the - - higher ups

FACULTY

RALPH DENNY
Superintendent

ADA MANION
Latin and English

HOWARD McROBERTS
Principal, Science

DAVID SANKS
Vocational
Agricultural

IDA DENNY
English

HAROLD EMIG
Social Science
Basketball Coach

ROBERT AKERS
Commercial

MRS. MURIEL CONNER
Vocational Home Ec.

RALPH ROSS
Mathematics

"Ah Ha" . . .

. . meat for the dope sheet

The Gathering Hour . . .

. . . small talk by the gym

. . . in the lunch room

. . . and other rendezvous

SENIORS

From left to right:

JOHN NIERMAN—I like Opera! Class president 2, 3, and 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, and 4; Tenth Legion 1, 2, 3, President 4; County Latin Contest 1 and 2; Glee club 1, 2, 3, and 4; Student Council 1; Science Club 4; Bear News Staff 3 and 4; Basketball 1 and 2.

BETTY VERMILYA—Marian behave; SSS 1, 2, 3, and 4; Tenth Legion 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1 and 2; Dramatics 2; Staff 4; GAC 1, 2, 3, 4.

CLAUDE McCRARY—I said! Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, President 4; Tenth Legion 1, 2, and 3; Glee Club 1, 2, and 4; Basketball 1 and 3; Staff 4; Science Club 3 and 4; Dramatics 2; Yell Leader 4.

THELMA PEDICORD—He smiled at me this morning! SSS 1, 2, 3, President 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Tenth Legion 1; Dramatics 2; Treasurer 1; Vice-President 2; Staff 4.

JOHN PILMAN—I didn't hear what you said. Agriculture Club 3.

HELEN SITTERDING—I wasn't here yesterday! GAC 1 and 2; SSS 1, 2, 3, and 4.

ELMER BEICKMAN—Watch this one-handed shot! Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 3 and 4; Agriculture Club 3.

DORIS JONES—Don't tell anybody but—! SSS 1, 2, 3, and 4; Staff 4; Home Ec. Club 3.

KENNETH REEDY—What are you going to do about it? Hi-Y 1 and 2.

THEODISTE HERRMANN—Oh Boy! Robert Taylor. SSS 1, 2, 3, and 4; Vice-President 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, and 4; Tenth Legion 1; Dramatics 2 and 3; Staff 4; Vice President 1; GAC 2 and 3.

SENIORS

From left to right:

FLORENCE KESTNER—You know, I didn't know that! SSS 1, 2, 3, and 4; Tenth Legion 3; County Latin Contest 1 and 2; Glee Club 4; Bear News Staff 4; Treasurer 1 and 2.

BEN TOPIE—How do you like my hair?

MILDRED HOBBS—I hope she didn't hear me! SSS 1, 2, 3, and 4.

RUDY WHITE—You thilly thitizin! Agriculture 3.

JOSEPHINE BALLARD—I like the red one best! SSS 3 and 4; Glee Club 3 and 4; Dramatics 3; Tenth Legion 3 and 4; Staff 4; Home Ec. Club 3 and 4 Vice President 4.

MARIAN IRELAND—Oh well, such is life if you can't take it! SSS 1, 2, 3, and 4 Treasurer 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Tenth Legion 1 and 3; Dramatics 2; Student Council 1, Secretary 1; Home Ec. Club 3; Class Secretary 2, 3, 4; Bear News Staff.

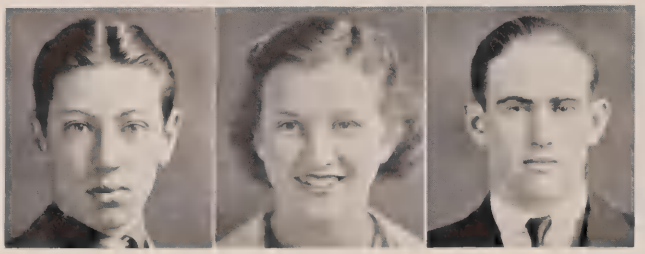
FREDERICK SCHLETER—I can get the car Sunday night! Basketball 4; Class Treasurer 4; Agriculture 3.

MILLICENT DOERR—My Godfrey! SSS 1, 2, 3, and 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, and 4; Staff 4; Tenth Legion 2, 3, and 4; GAC 1 and 2.

ROBERT RUTAN—I reckon!

DOROTHY MULLEN—Dear Scotty—Thank you for the—! SSS 1, 2, 3, and 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, and 4; Tenth Legion 1, 2, 3; GAC 1, 2, 3, and 4; Dramatics 2; Class Vice-President 3; Staff 4; Home Ec. Club 4.

SENIORS



From left to right:
LEON McELFRESH—Is that so!
DOROTHY DOBBINS—This extraordinary situation is quite critical. SSS 4; GAC 4; Home Ec. Club 4; Entered B.H.S. 1936.
EDWARD DOWNEY—Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Tenth Legion 1 and 2; Librarian 3 and 4.

SENIOR ACROSTIC

Frederick	**S**	chleter	Wisest Senior
John Ni	**E**	rman	Rudest student
Maria	**N**	Ireland	Most industrious
Joseph	**I**	ne Ballard	Dumb-bell
Edward D	**O**	wney	His walk
Kenneth	**R**	eedy	Very handsome
Claude Mc	**C**	rary	Worst woman hater
John Pi	**L**	man	Politest student
Thelm	**A**	Pedicord	Most dated girl
Florence Ke	**S**	tner	Prettiest girl
Theodi	**S**	te Herrmann	Worst man hater
Joe S	**O**	ladine	Best athlete
Ru	**F**	us White	Stingiest Boy
Millicen	**T**	Doerr	Shy
Mildred	**H**	obbs	Straight hair
Elmer Be	**I**	ckman	Loudness
Do	**R**	is Jones	Her giggle
Rober	**T**	Rutan	Lover of women
Doroth	**Y**	Mullen	Mad
Helen	**S**	itterding	Singing
Charles Mc	**E**	lfresh	Musical ability
Betty	**V**	ermilya	In love
Leon Mc	**E**	lfresh	Laziest boy
Be	**N**	Topie	His wave

SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

What a bunch of Greenies! That's what they all said when we stepped across the threshold of the Assembly. We were irreverently laughed at and looked at, but we were not overcome by their lack of pride in us. There were forty-one of us—quite a large group. This was the last year for the public initiation of the Sunshine Girls but not so for the Freshman boys. Soon they appeared with about as much hair as they had had when they were babies. Not much was done toward planning ways to make money but we had lots of fun at our class programs and parties. We had for our sponsor, Mr. Disque and the following officers were elected: Carl Harmon, President; Theodiste Herrmann, Vice-President; John Nierman, Secretary; and Florence Kestner, Treasurer. Blue and white were chosen as our class colors.

We returned to school for our Sophomore year a little more dignified and quite used to the hustle and bustle of High School life. We lost six members, they were Grace Shelton, Orville Alexander, Ray Shelton, Carl Harmon, and John Shelton. Under the sponsorship of Mr. McRoberts we elected the following officers: John Nierman, President; Dorothy Mullen, Vice-President; Marian Ireland, Secretary; and Thelma Pedicord, Treasurer. Our most exciting party was a Skating Party held at the Forestry on Lake Knob. We hiked out there but after exerting so much energy we were very glad to ride back to town. At the close of the school term we enjoyed a Wiener Roast which we held at the Park.

Our Junior year we had thirty-five members, Leo McElfresh, Raymond Haley, Ethel and John McKain, Omer Terkhorn, Jimmy Perry, Maxine Robertson, D. C. Spray, and Kathleen Ray having dropped out, but we gained Josephine Ballard. This year Miss Denny was our able and capable sponsor. We elected the following officers: John Nierman, President; Thelma Pedicord, Vice-President; Marian Ireland, Secretary; and Florence Kestner, Treasurer. Quite a large sum of money was made from our Junior Carnival and with several food and candy sales, we had enough money to put on a very nice Junior Reception. We also had time for fun. At the end of the year we had a hay-ride out to the river. Quite an elaborate picnic lunch was enjoyed at the noon hour. We returned home late in the afternoon feeling very happy. The result of this picnic was a great deal of sunburn!

At last we are running the last lap of our race. Whether we have won or lost we will soon find out. As Seniors, we realized that quite a lot was expected of us. We are facing graduation with only twenty-four of the forty-one we started with. In our Primary year we had two sets of twins in our room, we are finishing with one-half a set. The following members of our class have dropped out or moved to a different locality: Edith Weddle, Virginia Schwein, William and Willard Miller, Leo McElfresh, Reva Goss, but we have gained Dorothy Dobbins, and Charles McElfresh. This year Miss Manion was our advisor and our best source of help. We elected for our officers: John Nierman, President; Kenneth Reedy, Vice-President; Marian Ireland, Secretary; and Frederick Schleter, Treasurer. Not much time was found this year for social life, but we had a supper at the school house. Each member brought something and everyone enjoyed it immensely. At the close of school the losers entertained the winners of the money-making contest. Thus endeth our first lesson.

PROPHECY

Having been required by the mandate of 1937 to look into the future and give an account of it as I saw it, I journeyed to the far country of the gods till I came to the place where the three fates dwell.

"O Dei Immortales," I implored, "Ye who have presided over destinies of our famous Romans, reveal to me the happenings to the class of 1937 in the future. It is decreed that I must know."

After a short seance I was allowed to glimpse into the future, the result which I give to you, sanctioned by the Fates.

I seemed to be walking down a familiar street. A familiar voice called to me. I turned. Behold! There was Betty Vermilya. She asked me to accompany her home so we could talk together. After showing me her home and introducing me to her two children she invited me to attend the bridge party which she was having that very night. I eagerly accepted. She told me that after one year of Interior Decorating she had decided on a more quiet life. When Virgil came home he sat and chatted a while with us. He said he had engaged a table at a new night club that was opening for the first time Saturday. It was christened "The Pillbox" and the owner was John Pillman. The leader of the Orchestra was Rudy White. This was the first night club to be opened in Brownstown.

Suddenly the phone rang! Betty answered it. When she came back she said it was Frederick Schleter. He was now the owner of the largest Dairy and Poultry farm in Southern Indiana. He sold farm products. His specialty was eggs which contained a new food value known as Vitiman X.

After lunch as we were doing the dishes the doorbell rang. The grocery boy who entered had a face that seemed oddly familiar so I asked him his name. He said "Kenneth Reedy, Jr." He told me that his father ran a grocery store.

That afternoon we heard a newsboy calling Extra! I ran out and bought a paper. In head lines it told of the untimely death of Thelma Pedicord. She had gone to San Francisco to meet her sailor boy friend. He couldn't get shore-leave but Thelma could not wait. She started swimming out to his boat, the Tuscalossa, and was tragically eaten by a shark. Poor Thelma, she was always so impulsive!

Next I asked about Joe Soladine and Robert R. She brought me a scrapbook filled with articles about her old friends. Joe and Robert had invented a machine that would shuck corn at the rate of five bushels a minute. They used this on their large modern farm.

I was anxious to see what other clippings Betty had saved. My stars! not mine, but friends of mine, Josephine Ballard and Mildred Hobbs smiled provokingly up at me. I quickly read the printing beneath their names. They were to be starred in the Ziegfeld Follies of 1950. They were known as Mi-mi and Fifi.

I was becoming enthused over the progress my old friends had made. I turned on! More stars! There was Theodiste Herrmann, our only blonde. She had starred many ways! She was a singer, dancer, actress and even with all her popularity—still our sweet Thee! Opposite her was Claude McCrary a very great producer, also down in the corner of the page was small notice about John Nierman, director of a Burlesque Show and did he have a wonderful troupe of girls. From his picture I could see he was enjoying his role!

Next was a picture I recognized only after peering at it for some time. Elmer Bieckman. He was the President's Righthand Man! Shy little Buckie sure had gone places after leaving Brownstown.

Betty had certainly come to my rescue when she had been thoughtful enough to save these bits of news and thus kept track of her old classmates. Dorothy Dobbins, it seemed, was now in charge of a very swanky girls' school in New York and had been very successful. Her associate, Marian Ireland, was her assistant and specialized in French.

Doris Jones had become very well known by a spectacular marriage ceremony with a young multi-millionaire, the ceremony was radioed to them while they were riding by moonlight on the Sahara Desert. The bride and groom also sent their responses by radio.

Edward Downey occupied quite an important position in Brownstown. He had advanced from the school Library and was now the Town Librarian. Edward is still a lady's man and he isn't through with romance. Even though married, he still flirts with the fairer sex!

Leon McElfresh and his cousin Charles had became partners in an Escorting Company. Their business was very large and they were waxing richer and richer each year. It must be that there are more single women than there used to be. I can't say that the men are any handsomer, though!

Florence Kestner had become cashier of the Ewing Bank, succeeding her father who is retired, it is not hard to think of Florence holding so responsible a position. She had married a boy whom she had gone with during her high school days.

"Well I guess that accounts for everybody." Betty said. "Yes, every one but Helen Sitterding and Millicent Doerr," I replied. Then she turned on the radio and the courageous voice of Millicent Doerr who was giving a lengthy debate "Why automobiles should have six wheels instead of four" was heard.

"But what," Betty responded "about Helen Sitterding?" I said, "Oh, she's traveling in Europe having won a prize of $10,000 for the best managed hotel in U. S. She is in France teaching the Europeans a thing or two about cooking."

After this I became very dizzy and seemed to be floating through space. When I came to I was sitting up in my own bed, rubbing my eyes trying to see where Betty was. When I couldn't see her I decided to really pay Betty Vermilya a visit in 1950 and see if these things were all true! Bye—Be seeing you in in 1950.

SENIOR WILL

We, the Senior class of Brownstown High School in the year of our Lord, being sane and sound of mind, we do hereby make, publish, and declare this our last will and testament. We bequeath the following articles to the undermentioned persons, to wit:

John (Jay, Jon, Jonne, Jawn, Jonathan) Nierman leaves his skill for spelling his name in varied and pleasing ways to Hershel Gresham who wishes a dashing and more romantic spelling of his name.

Betty Vermilya left the Senior Play because Virgil did last year.

Claude McCrary leaves his attraction for himself to Kathleen Foster.

Thelma Pedicord leaves her quiet affection for one of her teachers to Mildred Gaiter.

John Pilman leaves the exquisite shine on his shoes to Pud Ireland whose shoes are always rusty because he can't very easily see them.

Helen Sitterding leaves her record of perfect attendance to Mary Alice Kestner.

Elmer Beickman leaves his affinity for roaming far afield in his amorous pursuits to Fred Bowen.

Doris Jones leaves her giggle to Margaret Mullen.

Kenneth Reedy leaves his noon lunch to the mice in Room Ten because they've had it most of the time this year anyway.

Theodiste Herrmann leaves her blonde locks to Betty Browning who has tried every other color but blonde.

Ben Topie leaves his dashing ways and waves to Leon Robertson.

Mildred Hobbs leaves her role as a "go-between" in the Stuckwich-Schleter romance to Mabel Thomas who at present acts as an assistant for Hobbsey.

Rudy White leaves the policy—Patronize the Home-town Girls—to Red McCrary.

Josephine Ballard leaves her liking and use of the color "red" to Roberta Clark.

Marian Ireland leaves her appetite to Elizabeth Fountain.

Frederick Schleter leaves his sudden interest in romance to inexperienced Doris Reynolds.

Robert Rutan leaves his unobstrusive actions to S. M. Hotchkiss.

Joe Soladine leaves his physical ruggedness to Harry Spray.

Dorothy Mullen leaves her Shorthand book to Mr. Akers who is sadly in need of a new one.

Florence Kestner leaves her unfinished romance with a certain Junior boy to anyone who has a little more time than she does.

Charles McElfresh leaves his loud and boisterous voice to Billy Poore.

Edward Downey leaves his attraction for the Rainbow Inn to Squatty Speer.

Millicent Doerr leaves her debates and knowledge of government to Chester Cockerham.

Dorothy Dobbins leaves her stately walk to Mabel Tolliver.

Leon McElfresh leaves his ability to type to Avah Merl Lubker.

In witness whereof we, the undersigned, affix our names.

John James Henry Jones
Cleo Eko Brown

Autoist—"Where do you get auto parts around here?"
Jimmy P.—"At the railroad crossing, sir."

John—"How did your father know we were out in his car?"
Betty—"Quite simple. You know that stout man we ran over. That was father."

"What is wind, Joe?"
"Wind teacher, is air in a hurry."

TODAY ---- and

TOMORROW ----

Naturally this store is constantly anticipating the future so that its service and merchandise may always cope with the growth of this community and changing conditions as they affect public taste and varying standards of living. But we are even more concerned in doing today's job well . . . in providing carefully selected merchandise for your choosing, in serving you conscientiously, and in adding to our long list of perfectly satisfied customers.

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"I understand" said Mary Alice to Evelyn G. "that you are having very small congregations at your church."
"Yes" said Evelyn "So small that if the preacher says, 'Dearly Beloved' you feel as if you had had a proposal."

Katy F.—"Rudy, if you were half a man, you'd take me to the circus, tomorrow."
Rudy—"Honey, if I were half a man I'd be in the circus."

"SO WE'LL JUST PRETEND"

CAST

Mary Brown alias Gloria Marsden St. Denis	Marian Ireland
Ted Lonsdale—In love with Gloria	Claude McCrary
Sugar—Antoinette Twlight Johnson	Thelma Pedicord
Rastus—Sugar's big Heart-throb	John Nierman
President Reed—President of the college	Kenneth Reedy
Clara Ogden—Dean of Women	Dorothy Dobbins
Kate Hartman—Chairman of the Rushing Committee	Dorothy Mullen
Elsie Deane—President of Oughta Eata Pi's	Helen Sitterding
Ruth—Goes with the best-looking boy on the Campus,	Theodiste Herrmann
Agnes—Typical college girl	Josephine Ballard
Taxi Driver	John Pilman
Mrs. Johnson—Superintendent of orphanage	Millicent Doerr
Plainsclothesman	Edward Downey
Donald	Elmer Beickman
Dave	Rudy White
Two Policemen	Frederick Schleter
Tommy Burns—Best looking boy on the campus	John Pilman

SYNOPSIS

Mary Brown inherits five thousand dollars from a thirty-second cousin. She has always been poor and has spent the early part of her young life in an orphanage. When she receives this money she decides to have clothes, friends, education, dates and belong to someone—all the things she had been deprived of up to now. Sugar follows her and raises quite a commotion in the college. Gloria pledges to the Oughta Eata Pi's and when they ask her to give a little money for the piano she gives them her last five hundred dollars. Mrs. Johnson, superintendent of the orphanage, comes to take Sugar back with her. Sugar jumps on the fire engine close at hand and tries to make a get-away. She is caught and brought back by the police. Gloria is exposed and thinks she will be "kicked out" of school. The girls from the sorority decide they still want her even if she is poor, and came from the orphanage. Ted Lonsdale, who is supposed to be working his way through school reveals that he really has more money than he could ever spend and Gloria who already knows Ted is in love with her and upon finding out she would not hinder him from finishing his law course is persuaded to marry him.

Mr. McRoberts (excitedly telephoning)—Is this the fire department?

Fireman (answering phone)—Yes, what do you want?

McRoberts—How far is it to the nearest alarm box? My laboratory is on fire and I must turn in the alarm.

NIERMAN and KUEHN

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Squatty and Scud were discussing how fast each one could drive in his car. "I drive so fast," remarked Scud, "that telephone poles look like a picket fence."

Squatty laughed, "That can't beat mine," he replied. "I passed a carrot, cabbage, and potato patch so fast that when I came to a pool of water it looked like vegetable soup."

Class of
1938

JUNIORS

Top Row—Thomas Kieffer, Edith Dawson, Fred Bowen, Jean Fowler, James Sheets, Mildred Oberman.

Second—Esther McNiece, Edmond Wayman, Esther Stotz, Edward Lucas, Roberta Clarks, Jesse Nowling.

Third—Francis Anderson, Mildred Gaiter, Norman Schneider, Kathlene Foster, Curtis Brodhecker, Mary Kamman.

Fourth—La Vonne Brumbaugh, S. M. Hotchkiss, Carolyn Robertson, Bruce Goss, Jr., Mabel Tolliver, Leon Robertson.

Fifth—Herschel Gresham, Ava Merl Lubker, Chester Cockerham, Anna Lee McCrary, Lloyd Spear, Marie Schneider.

Sixth—Mildred Schryer, Rodney Fosbrink, Ilene Lucas, Lloyd Schwein, Ruth Fountain, Donald Wayman.

Seventh—Robert Whiteford, Hazel Reedy, Jakie Ramp, Emma Sitterding, John Hall, Ellen Marie Vermilya.

Eighth—Harry Spray, Billy Poore, Robert Kinworthy.

This is one of the biggest Junior Classes the school has had for several years. However, its size has not hindered its efficiency and initiative. They have shown their initiative and determination by dropping the usual Junior Carnival and earning their money by means less expensive. They also changed the Junior Reception, eliminating the Freshmen and Sophomores. This change was going to have to be made sooner or later, and this is the first class to make the break.

We hope this class will keep its membership and will next year carry their work through as well as they have this year. Their officers are:

Tom Kieffer	President
Con Wayman	Vice-President
Mabel Tolliver	Secretary
James Sheets	Treasurer

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"Oh, Doctor," said Virginia A. "I'm dreadfully afflicted. The ghosts come and perch on the top of the fence posts all around my garden just as dusk is falling. I can look out any evening and see a dozen spooks sitting on top of those posts. Waiting! Waiting! Waiting! What shall I do?"

"Sharpen the tops of the posts", replied the Doctor.

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Ben T.—"Will you please explain to me the difference between shillings and pence?"

Joe S.—"You can walk down the street without shillings."

SOPHOMORES

Front Row—Ralph Steinkamp, Georgia Robbins, Billy Stall, Margaret Mullen, Don Tolliver, Ava Nell McCrary, Max Simmons, Elizabeth Fountain, Robert Pferrer, Virginia Alexander, Benny Melvin.

Second—George Eastin, Jr., Helena Gray, Inez Huddleston, Catherine Owens, Rhoda Herrmann, Frances Martin, Frances Kindred, Marjorie Pilman, Nora Belle Simpkins, Ethyl Gray, Eugene Wessel, Guy Johnson, La Moin Brumbaugh, Donald McNiece.

Third—Orpha Ratcliff, Betty Browning, Pauline Dawson, Irene Steinkamp, Marjorie White, Betty Pulliam, Charlotte Dixon, Delores Shelton, Thelma Goss, Doris Reynolds, Stanley Shipley, Rolland McKain.

Fourth—Mabel Thomas, Norma Jean Manion, Jean Vahl, Ida Lee Barkman, Marjorie Anthony, Marjorie Lucas, Jim Frank Ireland, Robert Sage, Tom Cribb, Charles McCrary, Jesse Scott, Allan Murray, Wallace Robertson, Wayne Fosbrink, Paul Terkhorn.

WE'RE SOPHOMORES NOW!

It seems just a short while ago that we were standing puzzled and terrified before the alter to be sacrificed by Embarrassing Moments before the Upper Classmen. Now we stand back and watch this year's bewildered Freshman pass through the same experiences. These are the officers for the year:

Elizabeth Fountain	President
George Eastin	Vice-President
Thelma Dobbins	Secretary
Orpha Ratcliff	Treasurer

FRESHMEN

FRESHMEN

Front Row—Top Picture—Wanita Hattabaugh, Evelyn Goss, Glenn Banks, Mary Alice Kestner, James Kennedy, Elizabeth Ann Durment, Harry Collingsworth, Mary Allman, Doris Hall, Marjorie Davidson.

Second Row—Bobby Melvin, Betty Donahue, Russell Hurley, Harry Marcott, Stanley England, Sherman McCrary, Marion Fleener, Robert Miller, Melba Darhlage, Richard Beickman.

Third Row—Leon Gossman, Florence Hupp, Billy Anderson, Nellie Allman, Lloyd Harris, Ruby Donahue, Lewis Kinworthy, Evelyn Lubker, Robert Donahue, Esther McCrary, Olive Huber, Robert Braden, Lucille Henson.

Front Row—Lower Picture—Dorothy Jean Von Dielingen, Delores Pedicord, Marie Stuckwish, Arthena Shepherd, Lois Russell, Geraldine Trueblood, Mary Shelton, Martha Lee Robertson.

Second Row—Louise Oberman, Clarence Pottschmidt, Wayne Sterling, Arnold Robbins, Joe Nierman, Benny Persinger, Jimmy Patterson, Phyllis Smith, Herman Sitterding.

Third Row—Retta Jane Rumph, Betty Robbins, Kenneth Schneider, Bobby Spear, James Schleter, Roscoe Spray, Hielon Robertson, Melvin Silence, Richard Wessell.

Green but growing. This group is composed of sixty-two members and is the largest class in B.H.S. Who knows maybe the best—in Sankie's and Mrs. Connor's estimation. You can see from their faces that they'll probably make the wisest graduation class of Brownstown in 1940 if they live and study according to the good examples set before them by the class of 1937. We are sorry they had to be left out of the Junior Reception. Still, they probably wouldn't have known how to act yet. They were very sorry to loose Bobby Melvin who moved to Elkhart.

Mary Kestner	President
Harry Collingsworth	Vice-President
Joe Nierman	Secretary-Treaurer
Mr. Sanks and Mrs. Connor	Sponsors

Mrs. Conner (exhibiting a flower in class)—"To what family does this belong?"

Wanita H—"To Tom Rienbold's but don't tell him I got it."

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Mr. Akers—"Is that perfectly clear?"

Bob Whiteford—"Clear as mud."

Akers—"Well, I guess that covers the ground."

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Millicent Doerr—"The Doctor asked to see my tongue. Then he said right away that I needed a stimulant."

Dorothy Mullen—"Heavens, I hope he didn't give you a stimulant for your tongue."

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"Now in case anything should go wrong with this experiment," said Mr. McRoberts "We and the laboratory with us will be blown sky high. Now, come a little closer, boys, in order that you may follow me."

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Francis Anderson (In his Ford)—"Can you tell me the quickest way to Main Street, my boy?"

Boy (After looking the car over)—"Sure, take a street car".

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1. A little doll turned out to be Dorothy Dobbins.

2. I remember when it was Johnnie Edward.

3. I believe that barefoot tot is Kennie.

4. Wonder how long little Claudie's been gazing at the moon.

5. See! Dorothy has never got her mouth shut yet.

6. Doris is always sweet and innocent.

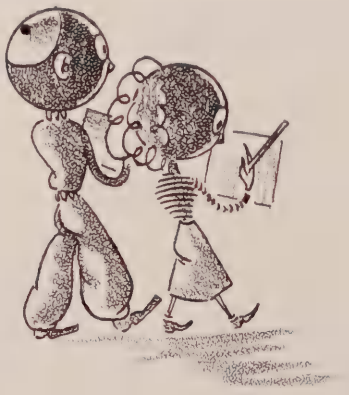
7. Thelma is waiting at the church yet.

8. I'd like to see Helen in a perambulator now.

9. Florence—still clean.

10. Rudy's first long pants.

11. What! No red dress, Cleo.



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EIGHTH GRADE

Front Row—Morse Terkhorn, James McKinney, Donald Harvey, James Russell, Robert Sterling, Robert Schneider, Glenn Haley, Raymond Robison.

Second—Gertrude Brumbaugh, Dorothy Alexander, Betty Mullen, Marjorie Rich, Margaret Davis, Catherine Kamman, Megan Gray, Virginia Ann Kieffer, Mary Boaz.

Third—Catherine Owens, Geraldine Blankenship, Betty Cross, Mildred Stevens, Elma Praggy, Robert Brodhecker, Viola Miller, Mary Jane Zabel, Mabel Burrell, Dorothy Perrin, Edith Jean Jackson.

Fourth—Emma Margaret Robbins, Raymond Taylor, Ida Kathryn Bowman, Herbert Johnson, Bobby Harris, Mr. Emig, Esther Hotchkiss, John Morton Stotz, Erma Gossman, Charlotte Lucas, Mary Jane Denny.

We are quite used to high school life now after one year's experience and look with kindly amusement upon the new comers—the Seventh Grade.

Donald Harvey, our president, moved to Indianapolis and Raymond Taylor filled his place. The other officers are Mary Jane Zabel as Secretary and Esther Hotchkiss as Treasurer.

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Mrs. Nierman—"Now, son, wash your face and neck."
John—"Neck who, Mother?"

Margaret Mullen—"I have stewed kidneys, boiled tongue, fried liver and pigs feet."
Sam H.—Don't tell me your troubles, sister, give me a chicken pie."

Guy J.—"What is that bump on your head?"
Jim Frank—"Oh, that's only where a thought struck me".

Usher—"How far down do you want to sit, Madam?"
Helen S.—"Why, all the way of course."

Mr. Emig had been talking steadily for more than an hour and his class was becoming a trifle restless.
"Take any article for instance," he droned on. "When it is bought it goes to the buyer."
"What about coal," interrupted Elmer B.
"Well," snapped Mr. Emig, "What about it?"
"When coal is bought doesn't it go to the cellar?" asked Elmer.

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SEVENTH GRADE

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Second—Benita Smith, Byron Stall, Pauline Waggoner, Kenneth Jackson, Eileen Reinbold, Patrick Downey, Reva Sage.

Third—Clinton Rhodes, Robert Wayman, Maudie Haley, Lucian Hall, Elizabeth Ann Lucas, Thomas McCrary, Arnita Shepard, Cresson McCory.

Fourth—Patricia Branaman, Genevieve Kindred, Mr. Ross, Jean Wilson.

We admit we are somewhat bewildered by upstairs life but we hope to get the gist of it soon.

We had as our sponsor, Mr. Ross. These are the officers we elected:

Patsy Branaman .....President

Dan Kinworthy .....Vice-President

Robert Robison .....Secretary-Treasurer

Akers sat in the library when the nurse burst into the room.

"Its a Boy."

"Why, yes," said Akers, "ask him what he wants."

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Olive—"After you make a raft of money."

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Mac (having size in mind)— "What's the difference between a flea and an elephant?"

Billy Anderson—"Well, for one thing a elephant can have fleas but a flea cannot have elephants."

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1. They said they were going to the legislature.

2. Sh-Sh-Look where they did go. Thanks to Senator Robertson.

3. No telling where they went. Didn't see very straight.

4. Now Frederick.

5. And we caught her coming to school right through the flood.

6. Old Man River sent us the refugees.

7. Even the Freshies get into the limelight.

8. Nice looking car.

9. You'll have to detour Moonie, the chimney fell.

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First row—Melvin Assistant Student Manager, Eastin, Spear, Tolliver, Simmons, Sterling, Sheets Student Manager.

Second row—Pferrer, Downey, Bowen, Sage, Beickman, Brodhecker, Kieffer, Nowling.

Third row—Coach Emig, Scott, Kinworthy, Scheleter, Hill, Cockran, Ramp, Principal McRoberts.

BASKETBALL 1936-37

Shawswick	13	Brownstown	25
Center Grove	41	Brownstown	14
Oolitic	31	Brownstown	23
Clearspring	17	Brownstown	26
Odon	24	Brownstown	17
Corydon	19	Brownstown	16
Edinburgh	22	Brownstown	15
Crothersville	22	Brownstown	25
Madison	25	Brownstown	22
West Baden	21	Brownstown	31
Seymour	33	Brownstown	17
Orleans	30	Brownstown	23
Austin	15	Brownstown	20
Crothersville	22	Brownstown	14
Oolitic	33	Brownstown	17
Austin	18	Brownstown	26
Freetown	27	Brownstown	23
Greenwood	26	Brownstown	23
French Lick	32	Brownstown	22

Invitational Tourney at Austin

Crothersville	25	Brownstown	24
Brownstown	41	Tampico	24

Sectional Tourney

Brownstown	22	Crothersville	18
Brownstown	22	Seymour	31

BEICKMAN: He has played on the team since his sophomore year, but he has done four years' work in three. It is his last year and we are sorry to lose him. We shall miss those one-handed shots. Luck to you, Bucky.

KIEFFER: In the three years that Tommy has played on the team he has become a valuable forward. He has one more year to battle for B.H.S. He will certainly be a rock on which to build next year's team. Keep the good work going, Tommy.

TOLLIVER: Don is a stocky Sophomore in whom we place much dependence for our future teams. In the two seasons which he has to look forward to, he will stretch into a serious menace to opposing teams. Hit 'em hard, Don.

SAGE: Tall, strong and undaunted. Bob has a good-natured way of always coming back. He gave a good account of himself this year and his height will probably be a factor in next year's team. Go get 'em, Bob.

BOWEN: Bowen still has another year to play for his alma mater. He has shown great improvement this year, and with the same pluck and determination he promises to be a very important factor in next year's team. Show 'em, Fritzy.

RAMP: Although a junior this is his first year on the team. He is a good, clean player and has that never give up spirit. Ramp on Jakie.

PFERRER: If Pferrer improves consistently in his playing next year we shall be very proud of him. He should be able to develop into one of the mainstays of the team. Keep trying, Bob.

SPEAR: Squatty is also a junior who has shown much improvement this year. He has been a dependable reserve, and is promising material for next year. We're for you, Squatty.

SIMMONS: Max put forth a great deal of energy and thought in an effort to put B.H.S. on the winning side of the games this year. Though he was compelled by sickness to be out a while he has two years ahead of him in which he is sure to make good. Don't fail us, Max.

BRODHECKER: This is Curts' first year on the varsity. He was a valuable reserve this year and one more year of action is in store for him. He is continually fighting and he should develop into a real ball player. We're backin' you, Curt.

BASEBALL

With the best baseball schedule ever arranged for our high school team, and the new uniforms that were purchased last year, our athletic outlook in that particular sport looks bright.

The schedule has been worked up until it now contains the best teams in this section of our state. We stood well up in the Southeastern High School Conference last year, with a percentage of .666. This year we have five conference games namely: Madison one, North Vernon two, and Austin two.

OUR SCHEDULE

April 2	Austin	here
April 7	Crothersville	there
April 13	Columbus	here
April 15	North Vernon	there
April 16	Columbus	there
April 19	Seymour	here
April 23	Austin	there
April 26	Seymour	there
April 27	Madison	here
April 30	Crothersville	here
May 4	North Vernon	here

Our roster consisted of representatives from all classes, the members of the team which are listed below as to their positions and their class.

Name	Position	Class
Beickman	Of	Senior
Soladine	3b	Senior
Bowen	C	Junior
Ramp	C, Of	Junior
Kieffer	1b	Junior
Robertson	ss	Junior
Brodhecker	Of	Junior
Tolliver	2b	Soph.
Sage	P	Soph.
Simmons	P, 3b	Soph.
Scott	Of	Soph.
Kinworthy	P	Freshman
Harris	Of	Freshman

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"Stop," thundered Fritz, who was having his hair trimmed.

"Why do you insist upon telling me those horrible blood-curdling stories?"

"I'm sorry, Fritz," said the barber, "but when I tell stories like that the hair stands upon end and makes it much easier to cut."

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Mabel T.—"You beast! I thought you told me there wasn't a single mosquito at this resort."

Eddie G.—"That's right. They're all married and have large families."

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SUNSHINE SOCIETY

SUNSHINE

The Sunshine Society is a well known organization which has been in our school since 1927. All the high school girls belong and are very willing to help in the charity work this organization carries on every year at Christmas and other times. They organized a new society in Clearspring this year. This chapter was installed at the time that the Brownstown Sunshine Society had their formal initiation. The Clearspring girls and their sponsors were guests of the Society. The Mothers of the Brownstown girls were entertained in this meeting. The girls enjoyed several parties during the year. The last party which was held in the gym all night was slumberless. Several girls attended the State Sunshine Convention held at Warren Central just outside of Indianapolis. All the girls who have formerly been camping at Heflin's with the S.S.S. are looking forward to it with a great anticipation and all but the Senior girls are looking forward to what next year may bring forth.

Thelma Pedicord ..... President

Rhoda Herrmann ..... Vice-President

Marie Schneider ..... Treasurer

Elizabeth Ann Durment ..... Secretary

HI-Y

The Club being a Christian organization works toward fulfilling their motto, "To maintain, create, and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian living".

They met every two weeks and their meetings were conducted on the same order as in former years. The Hi-Y helped this year in Christmas cheer work, and did much to make it more comfortable and healthful for the refugees who were stationed at the school building for about two weeks during the time of the flood.

The annual Sweetheart Banquet was held April 10th at the Brownstown High School. The main speaker of the evening was Rev. Richmond. Mr. Sanks also gave a short talk.

Claude McCrary	President
Thomas P. Kieffer	Vice-President
James Sheets	Secretary
Leon Robertson	Treasurer
Mr. Ralph Ross	Sponsor

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Thelma Dobbins—"I maintain that love making is just the same as it always was."

Squatty—"How do you know?"

Thelma—"I just read about a Greek maiden who sat and listened to a lyre all evening."

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"I is....." began Jimmy S.

"I am, not I is," promptly corrected Miss Denny.

"I am the ninth letter of the alphabet," Jimmy finished.

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Sheets—"I say, Don, which is of the most value, twenty one quarters or a five dollar bill?"

Don W.—"Why, twenty one quarters, of course."

Sheets—"Wrong. The five dollar bill is the most valuable because when you place it in your pocket you double it, and when you take it out again you find it in creases."

The aim of this group is to further musical talent in high school and also social life. They have entertained for P.T.A. several times, and also have annoyed the assembly by their chirping. They will render the music at Baccalaureate.

DID YOU KNOW?

That several of the Seniors were locked up. OH! NO! not in jail. At Butler University.

That Akers says the School time is wrong after having been 13 3/4 seconds late for school one afternoon.

That Bob Whiteford was sent out of English Class to wash up. Or was it wake up!

That Esther Stotz (along with others) was late for school 129 times this year.

That Josephine Ballard giggles at everything—So Scud Says. But shall we take his word for it?

That Ed Downey resigned from the Annual Staff because he couldn't have his picture enlarged and mounted on first page of Sports Section.

That several boys who skipped school to visit Freetown were surprised to find their books missing the next morning. It was rumored that Mac sent them to Freetown, but seeing the boys swinging books the next day we suppose that every thing is O.K. again.

That Miss Manion and several seniors were stopped by a policeman and asked several questions while attending Legislature at Indianapolis. What for? Oh, they were jay walking.

That Doerr and Gaiter never walk home at noon—either Sanks, Akers, or Mac.

That A very popular Senior invited a very popular Sophomore to the Sweetheart Banquet and she refused to go. What's wrong? Have the Seniors lost their charm?

That Delores Pedicord and Dorothy Mullen always wear anklets.

That Thelma Pedicord is fond of the Principal of the high school.

That Betty Vermilya has missed Virgil Fountain, Jr., this year by not getting to walk to class with him.

That Jimmy Patterson has a new love every week. Fast worker Jim!

That Howard MacRoberts gives the students chewing gum to chew in school.

That Orpha Ratcliff has a new heartbeat in Muncie, Indiana.

That Thelma Dobbins refuses to go with any boy but Squatty Spears.

That Jean Fowler refused Tom Kieffer at the Reception.

That Doris Reynolds had lost her sex appeal for the boys of Brownstown.

That there is some attraction at Demas' in Seymour for the B.H.S. students.

That Max Simmons is too good for the teachers because it seems he's too smart for them.

LATIN CLUB

This club was organized in '27 with Miss Manion as sponsor. The motto is "Semper Paratus". The Latin Club held its annual chicken fry at the school house October 14. The main feature was the initiation of the Freshman of this society. Joe Nierman received the most food because it was choked down him by the upper classmen. They met every two weeks and enjoyed programs of speeches, songs, stories, rebuses and manners. The club was enjoyed by all. This year the annual truck ride was a trip to Brown County State Park. Fun! I'll say!

The officers are:

John Nierman ..... President

Don Tolliver ..... Secretary-Treasurer

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Ida Lee Barkman, her shimmering golden hair.

Delores Shelton with her classic profile.

Irene Steinkamp—gorgeous eyes.

Theodiste Herrmann—what a figure!

Dorothy Dobbins—Perfect poise.

Marjorie Anthony—er—oh, well—Legs!

Rhoda Herrmann—Spring-like smile.

Avah Nell McCrary—Teeth, the prettiest and pearliest in B.H.S.

Thelma Pedicord—Back! What? Well, there may be more stunning shoulders in B.H.S. But we've yet to see them.

Marian Ireland—arms grace and lithesomeness.

Esther Stotz—Patrician nose.

Pauline Dawson—Throat—It's thrilling!

That sweetly kissable mouth of Mabel Tolliver.

Jean Fowler—Delicious—Delightful—Devasting—Dimples.

Elizabeth Fountain Youth! The youngest, the freshest, the gayest girl in B.H.S. Her youth is all conquering. Brownstown is just a background for this bright baby.

And—the most beautiful still of the year, Thelma Dobbins with Squatty Spear in the most delightful romance of the year.

Florence Kestner—Natural Complexion.

Doris Jones—Little Ears.

Orpha Ratcliff—Beautiful Hands.

Dorothy Mullen—Prettiest Feet.

Betty Browning—Lovely eyebrows.

Virginia Alexander—Hips, Hips, Hurrah!

Lois Russell—Bright finger nail polish.

Marjorie Lucas—Small waistline.

Frances Martin—Exquisitely modulated voice.

Georgia Robbins—Satorially perfect.

Rettie Jane Rumph—Excellent posture.

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Thelma P.—"I bet I could play a piano longer than you can. I played two hours yesterday."

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"Yes," Sanks explained, "quite a number of plants and flowers have the prefix dog. For instance, the dog-rose and the dog-violet are well-known. Can you name another?"

There was silence. A happy look illuminated the face of Russell Hurley at the end of class as he shouted, "Collieflower."

Joe S.—"What would you do if you were in my shoes?"

Fred S.—"I'd shine 'em."

Jessie S.—"I'm going to be an aviator. I've been air-minded for years."

Chester C.—"I guess I'll be a garage man. I've been tow-headed all my life."

Wayne S.—"Good morning, Sherman, is your mother in?"

Sherman Mc.—"Sure she's in. Do you suppose I would be working out here in the garden Saturday morning if she wasn't?"

GIRLS' ATHLETIC CLUB

Hot stuff that's what they are! Oh boy! Are they good! They have two excellent teams, the Juniors and the Sophomores. They have played two games outside of their regular Friday afternoon practice. One was for the opening of Corydon-Brownstown game. In this game the Sophomores overcame the Juniors the score being 17-14. The other game was at the evening session of the Class Tournament. In this game the Juniors turned the tables and beat the Sophomores 36-19. No parties have been given this year on account of other activities and also because of our interrupted program. The Senior girls of this organization are to be judged by the teachers Mr. Emig, Mr. Akers and Mrs. Conner, to see who will be awarded the prize for the best all around sportsmanship.

Their officers are:

Carolyn Robertson ..... President

Mabel Tolliver ..... Vice-President

Doris Reynolds ..... Secretary-Treasurer

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Max (after accident)—"Is there a woman here with old-fashioned ideas."

Crowd—"Why?"

Max—"Because I need a petticoat to make some bandages."

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Bob Pferrer—"I want to rent a horse."

Liveryman—"How long?"

Bob—"The longest one you have, there are four of us."

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Tom C.—"I am always tired on the first of April."

LaMoin—"Why?"

Tom C.—"Who wouldn't be after a March of 31 days?"

The News Bureau has been very active in school activities the past year, publishing the school paper, "The Bear News".

They conducted a straw-vote preceding the election which was very successful.

The Staff of 35-36 presented the school with a Trophy case, and the present staff presented two trophies: one for the Basketball player having the best average on free throws and the other for the baseball player having the best batting average.

These trophies were presented with the purpose of giving an incentive to these players during the playing season.

Miss Denny (In English class)—"Let's hear your quotation."

Ilene Lucas—"I can't give all of it."

Miss Denny—"Well, give what you can then."

Ilene—"The gay will laugh when thou art gone."

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HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

This is the second year for the Home Economics Club. It chose for its project the buying of the essentials that would be needed to serve an appropriate meal at school. Committees were appointed to select card tables, luncheon clothes, silverware, and china. Their money making projects consisted of one candy sale and a Cheerio and Fudge sale which was held every other week. Their social events consisted of a Chili supper given by Mrs. Conner and also a formal dinner party which was held at her home. A good time was had by everyone that attended.

The girls served the Hi-Y Banquet. They enjoyed the talk of Mr. Richmond even though they had to listen through the keyhole. Several of the girls were identified by the shapes of their heads. Our advice to these is to either wear bonnets or have your hair fixed different.

They met with Mrs. Conner every other Tuesday in the Home Economics room. Their officers are:

Doris Reynolds ..... President

Josephine Ballard ..... Vice-President

Mildred Gaiter ..... Secretary

Marjorie Anthony ..... Treasurer

SCIENCE CLUB

The Science Club is a rather new organization having been introduced last year. They spend their time in meeting by experimenting, and trying to invent something new. The meetings were withheld the latter part of the year because of a "Branding War" carried on by two of the members with nitric acid used as the weapons. This club was not althogether just for fun but much knowledge was gained about the different elements that make dear old mother earth. Their officers were:

Thomas Kieffer	President
John Nierman	Vice-President
James Sheet	Secretary-Treasurer
Mr. McRoberts	Sponsor

1. Would you believe it they are minister's daughters.

2. Smokers—done for the day.

3. Everywhere we hear these girls talking like Pop-Eye, the Sailor. Maybe they eat their spinach.

4. Bicycle rush.

5. Frivolous five up to more frivolity.

6. We wonder if they really know what it is all about.

7. Forgotten but not gone.

8. Caught Scud rehearsing.

9. Of Monk's old Ford, they all make fun
   Say if was going in 1901
   Maybe it was, but this we'll bet
   It will run many a mile yet.

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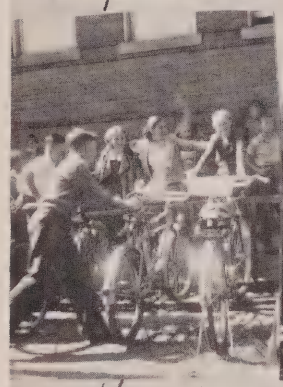
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Reply from Doris—"Come anyhow stop borrow a shirt."

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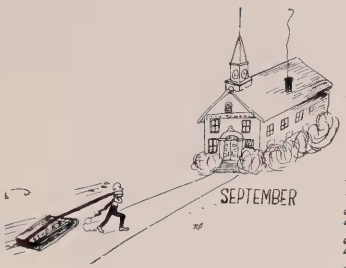
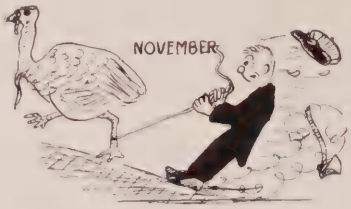


11. Half day enrollment.
14. The first real school day.
15. Re-stated—Lovers parted.
16. Waskom! Waskom! Same ole sport—skipping.
17. Six girls late—oh yes—out of gas.
18. First Vacation—Oh sweet relief.
21. Classes met and were organized.
22. S.S.S. and Hi-Y organized.
23. All singers assembled to chirp awhile.
24. All seniors fools but one.
25. True to form Mullen and Reynolds late.
28. Chewing Gum chewers at work again this year.
29. Scud tells Miss Manion school makes him tired.
30. Akers doesn't know men have laps.

1. Lots of sleepy heads.
2. Fire Drill.
5. Seniors divide class for money making.
6. Marian, Marian study thy shorthand.
7. Bible classes organized. Rev. Richmond, teacher.
8. Just school.
9. Lost freshman.
12. Seniors are beginning to show importance.
13. Unlucky, Oh yeah! Big book stack.
14. Latin Club Chicken Fry.
15. Whiteford needs a shave.
16. First Typing speed test. Some not so fast.
19. Do those graders ever sit still.
20. Hi-Y Initiation.
21. Mac says no loafing in halls.
22. P.T.A.
23. Freshman Party.
26. Emig seen rocking baby to sleep. After 5:00 o'clock though.
27. Doris R. and Elizabeth F. are pretty good poets. Subject Seymour Gents.
28. Exams.
29. Same.
30. Beware Hallowe'en, Witches and what not.

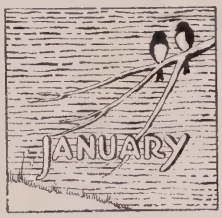


2. School Election. Oh My! Poor Republicans!
3. First good snow. Watch out Akers!
4. Seniors are selling pencils. Help the poor.
5. June in November. Girls have pictures taken with bathing suits on.
6. First basketball game. New suits. We play Shawswick. Score 25-13 Brownstown.
9. Commotion in assembly.
10. Denny tries out paddle, on whom?
11. More skipping.
12. Chemistry class has an explosion.
13. Friday 13th. We played Centre Grove. Score 41-14. Not Brownstown.
16. Seniors are tired from their trip to Butler.
17. Dog and Pony Show.
18. Pictures taken for the annual.
19. Too many gum chewers.
20. Oolitic basketball game. Score 31-23. We can't claim that one either.
23. How many Senators, and the such, test on Indiana in Government.
24. Those Physical Ed. girls.
25. Clearspring game. 26-17. Ours. No school till Monday, Thanksgiving vacation.
30. Too much turkey over Thanksgiving. S.S.S. Informal Initiation.

1. Winter.
2. Just six more months of! Just six! Oh yeah!
3. Rev. Marlett and Rev. Dawson are helping teach in Bible class.
4. Odon basketball game. 24-17. We lose again.
7. Seniors are selling Christmas Cards; some saleslady Vermilya.
8. Seniors are serving School Men's Banquet. Dishes! Dishes!
9. Visitors from Seymour.
10. If you need any assistance in walking up the assembly just call on any seventh grade boy.
11. Corydon ball game. 19-16. Licked again.
12. Edinburgh ball game. 22-15. Another defeat.
14. Whiteford admits that Akers can whip him.
15. Hi-Y Party.

16. Juniors pose. Seniors have Pitch-in Supper. Ice Cream, Candy, and what have you.
17. Last minute sales of holly wreaths.
18. Crothersville basketball game. 22-25. We won.
21. Juniors not pleased with pictures, at least some. Well don't blame the camera.
22. S.S.S. Christmas Party.

MERRY CHRISTMAS, SEE YOU NEXT YEAR



4. Happy New Year.
5. Denny says to take those stairs easy.
6. Wayman and L. Robertson are Senior Economists.
7. Reynolds and M. Mullen have big bet on Seymour basketball game.
8. Seymour Basketball Game. 33-17. We lost.
11. Mrs. Bernice Kenny substituting for Mrs. Conner.
12. Looks as if the second row in the Assembly has been eating peanuts.
13. Denny still directing traffic on the second landing.
14. Exams—Oh Where, Oh where have my notes gone?
15. Orleans beat us, 30-23.
18. School buses late. Roads in bad condition.
19. Bowen seen walking Dawson to school.
20. Glee Club is learning to sing bass. Mullen and Reynolds especially.
21. Akers fears that Gaiter would be studying instead of gossiping and giggling.
22. Pupils from over the river out on account of flood.

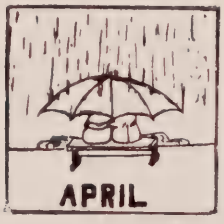
January 25 to February 2, School was dismissed on account of refugees from Jeffersonville and New Albany. About one hundred and fifty in all. Hard on school but glad to be able to do it.

29. Oolitic had long end of score 33-17.

2. Be careful or you'll see your shadow.
3. New love affair—Lib Fountain and Bob Spears.
4. Gaiter and Doerr never walk to or from school, result, Pedicord jealous.
5. Austin Game. 15-20. Yea! Brownstown.
8. Haley forbidden to go to the Library.
9. Akers seems to want to teach Economics.
10. Paper wads galore.
11. Latin contest. Winners, Harry Forgey, Mary Alice Kestner, Betty Browning, and Francis Martin.
12. Freetown Game. 27-23. Downed again! Bowen gets sprained ankle.
15. Weather man shows off and blows off chimney.
16. Denny says please use the back door.
17. Senior chili dinner.

18. Visitors from Freetown, Indiana.
19. Greenwood ball game. 26-23. Same old story.
22. Still going in at the back door.
23. Not paper wads but wire and nails.
24. Boys on green carpet for skipping.
25. Wayman makes a speech in regard to School Paper.
26. French Lick Game last game of the season. 32-22. Too bad for us.

1. Seniors and Juniors went to Legislature and other places.
2. Lot of sleepy heads—too many shows.
3. Dark headed teacher slaps dark headed sophomore. Result a visitor.
4. Speed test in typing. Fingers all thumbs.
8. S. M. gets front seat in Bookkeeping class. Sophomore scavenger hunt.
9. Seniors are busy selling ads.
10. Exams! Woe is me!
11. S.S.S. Formal Initiation.
12. Whiteford gets sent out of English class to wake up.
15. Seniors select invitations and cards.
16. Senior play decided on.
17. Sanks says spring is coming.
18. Agriculture boys went to Indianapolis.
19. Juniors won class tourney. Both girls and boys.
22. Akers presents the Old Shaving Mug to Junior class.
23. Baseball practice begins.
24. The girls just won't leave Fritz Bowen alone in Bookkeeping Class.
25. Seniors busy on Annual. Akers says get those Practice sets done.
26. Tomorrow twenty-five S.S.S. girls are attending State S.S.S. Convention at Warren Central High School.



1. April fool.

10. Sweetheart Banquet.

16. Senior Play. "So We'll Just Pretend."

17. Junior Reception for Seniors.

2. Baccalaureate.

6. Senior Day. Commencement. Speaker, Dr. John C. Benson.

8. Alumni Banquet.

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4. We'd better dodge.

5. Oh, for a sleigh and a moonlight night.

6. She is walking again.

7. Even Loge poses for a picture

8. Ag.

9. Post.

10. Ab.

11. You tell 'em Akers, we stutter.

12. Found everybody going in at back door.

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SOCIETY

On Oct. 14th the Tenth Legion held their annual chicken fry and initiation of the Freshmen. My! My! My! How they made the Freshmen work and eat.

Oct. 20th saw the initiation of Freshmen boys to the Hi-Y. Informal and Formal Initiation were both held. And they made the Freshmen eat raw oysters.

Nov. 23th the Freshmen class had a party. About 28 attended. They played the real old fashion wink. Refreshments were sandwiches and apples.

Nov. 30th the S.S.S. held their annual Hallowe'en party and also the Informal Initiation. And my did some of the girls blush? Just ask them. Refreshments were popcorn balls, apples, and home made candy. The hostesses for this party were the girls whose birthdays are in April, May and June.

Dec. 16th the Senior class had a Pitch-In Supper at the school. You may not believe in Santa Claus but there were two at this party. One brought a freezer of ice cream and the other a large box of chocolates. Now, who said there wasn't a Santa Claus?

Dec. 26th the S.S.S. held their Christmas party. The entertainment consisted of vocal and instrumental pieces and readings. Refreshments were sandwiches, candy and cakes. The hostesses for this party were the girls whose birthdays are in July, August, and September.

On March 8th the Sophomore class had a party, which turned out to be a Scavenger Hunt. There were about 30 at the party. Their sponsor was Mr. Akers. Refreshments were sandwiches and Coca-Cola

March 11th the Formal Initiation of the Freshmen Sunshine girls was held at the school building. At this time Clearspring society was installed, the Clearspring girls coming here for the ceremony. All the mothers of the S.S.S. girls were invited. At the close of the program refreshments of tomato juice cocktail, and sandwiches were served. The hostesses of this party were the girls whose birthdays are in October, November, December, January, February and March.

The annual Hi-Y Sweetheart banquet was held April 10th at the school building. The toastmaster was Claude McCrary. Their time was spent in group singing and speeches. Their sponsor was Mr. Ralph Ross.

The Senior Play "So We'll Just Pretend", was given April 16th at the Royal Theatre.

April 17th was the Junior-Senior Reception. Their theme was "Robin Hood". The speech of welcome was given by Tom Kieffer, president of Junior class. The response was given by John Nierman, president of the Senior class. The guests consisted of the Junior and Senior classes and the faculty and the parents of the Juniors. The guests were entertained by E. A. Richardson, Indiana Poet. The music was furnished by Don Phillips and his orchestra.

May 2nd Baccalaureate services were held at the Methodist Church The speaker was Rev. R. L. Marlett of the Baptist Church. Music was furnished by the High School Glee Club.

Senior Day was held May 6.

Commencement was held at the Court House May 6th. Dr. John Benson of the Methodist Hospital of Indianapolis was the speaker. Music was furnished by Sauers Orchestra.

The Alumni Banquet was held on May the 8th at the school house with James Heller as president presiding.

The Senior class is divided into two sides. The one making the most money for the class will be entertained by the losers at the end of the school year.

The Tenth Legion enjoyed their annual truck ride and picnic supper April 29. They visited State Park at Nashville.

The S.S.S. girls held their annual slumber party at the school building at the close of school. The refreshments were Cheerio and Fudgies.

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Dorothy Dobbins—"Yes, we wouldn't eat if he didn't get work as a gigolo."

Mrs. Knowling—"Well, son what have you been doing all afternoon?"

Jesse—"Shooting craps, Mother."

Mrs. Knowling—"That must stop, those little things have as much right to live as you have."

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